

Council on Mentally Ill Offenders

Date September 21, 2006

California Department of Corrections & Rehabilitation

1515 S Street – Suite 502-S Sacramento, California

Time 10:00 a.m.

Meeting called by:

Chairperson James E. Tilton

Members:

James E. Tilton, Council Chairperson and Acting Secretary, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation; Stephen W. Mayberg, Ph.D., Council Vice Chairman and Director, California Department of Mental Health; Andrew Hall, Chief, Westminster Police Department; David Lehman, Chief Probation Officer, Humboldt County, and Member, Board of Corrections (Ret.); Wendy Lindley, Judge, Orange County Superior Court; Duane E. McWaine, M.D., Medical Director, Didi Hirsch Community Mental Health Center, Los Angeles; David Meyer, J.D., Clinical Professor/Research Scholar, Institute of Psychiatry, Law and the Behavioral Sciences, USC Keck School of Medicine; Jo Robinson, M.F.T., Assistant Director, Programs/Director, San Francisco Jail Psychiatric Services; James Sweeney, Pres., Impact, LLC.

	Agenda	Topics
1.	Chairperson James E. Tilton	Roll call - Adoption of previous meeting minutes
2	Council Members	SB1422 – Elimination of COMIO Sunset
3.		Discussion – Future Direction for COMIO
		 Development of Priorities / 2007 Workplan
		 Relationships with State / Local Agencies
		 Strategies for consideration
		• Executive Officer / Staffing for COMIO
4.		Senate Bill 618 - Community Roles/Inmate Re-Entry
5.		Seaside meeting - request Corrections Standards Authority (CSA) to review standards for correctional space allocations for mentally ill (vs. CTF standards).
6.		Assemby Bill 861 – Training Within the Prison System / Earning a Livable Wage
7.		Minimum Standards for Assessing Mental Incompetence in the Justice System
8.		Resource Needs for Courts – Enhancing Psychiatrist P.C. 1026 Evaluations
9.		Diversion of jail inmates to mental health facilities / alternate programs – letters for best practices.
10.		Old / New Business – Impact of Hiring Mental Health Workers for Prisons, New MIOCR Funding and "Words to Deeds" Conference
11.		Announcements / Discussion
12.		Adjourn – Next Meeting Nov. 16th

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